



UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
CENTRAL DISTRICT OF CALIFORNIA
SOUTHERN DIVISION

GENES INDUSTRY CO,

Plaintiff,

v.

CUSTOM BLINDS AND COMPONENTS
INC.,

Defendant.

SA
CASE NO. CV15-0476 AG (Ex)
REDACTED
VERDICT

JURY VERDICT FORM

When answering the following questions and filling out this Verdict Form, please follow the directions provided throughout the form. Your answer to each question must be unanimous. Some of the questions contain legal terms that are defined and explained in detail in the Jury Instructions. Please refer to the Jury Instructions if you are unsure about the meaning or usage of any legal term that appears in the questions below.

1 **A. Direct Infringement**

2 1. Has Genes proven that, more likely than not, CBC's High Performance Cord
3 Tilter contains every requirement of Claim 1 of the '204 Patent?

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5 Yes X No _____

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7 If your answer to question 1 is "yes," skip question 2 and go to question 3. If
8 your answer to question 1 is "no," go to question 2.

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10 **B. Infringement Under the Doctrine of Equivalents**

11 2. Has Genes proven that, more likely than not, CBC's High Performance Cord
12 Tilter includes parts that are identical or equivalent to every requirement of Claim 1 of
13 the '204 Patent? In other words, for any requirement of Claim 1 of the '204 Patent that
14 is not literally found in CBC's High Performance Cord Tilter, does the CBC High
15 Performance Cord Tilter have an equivalent part to that requirement?

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17 Yes _____ No _____

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20 **C. Willful Infringement**

21 3. Has the Genes proven that CBC willfully infringed Claim 1 of the '204
22 Patent?

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24 Yes X No _____

FINDINGS ON DAMAGES

If you answered questions 1 or 2 "yes," proceed to answer the remaining questions. If you answered "no" for both questions 1 and 2, do not answer the remaining questions and proceed to check and sign the verdict form.

4. What lost profits, if any, did Genes show that it suffered as a result of sales that it would with reasonable probability have made but for CBC's infringement?

\$ 1,018,343.⁰⁰

5. For those infringing sales for which Genes did not prove its entitlement to lost profits, what is Genes entitled to as a reasonable royalty:

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1 **END**

2 You have now reached the end of the verdict form and should review it to ensure
3 it accurately reflects your unanimous determinations. The Presiding Juror should then
4 sign and date the verdict form in the spaces below and notify the Officer that you have
5 reached a verdict. The Presiding Juror should retain possession of the verdict form and
6 bring it when the jury is brought back into the courtroom.

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9 DATED: Oct 6, 2017

10 By _____
11 Presiding Juror
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